## **REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

## Amendments in General

In the June 26, 2007, office action, the Examiner stated that claims 14 and 15 would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims.

Claims 14 and 15 previously depended from claim 10. Claims 14 and 15 have been amended to include the limitations of claim 10, and claim 10 has been canceled. Thus, in accordance with the Examiner's statements, claims 14 and 15 have been rewritten in independent form including all the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims.

Claims 1–4, 6, 8–13, 17, and 19 have been canceled. Claims 5, 7, 16, and 18 were previously canceled.

Accordingly, Applicant respectfully contends that the application should be allowed.

## Conclusion

If the Examiner feels it would advance the application to allowance or final rejection, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number given below.

Reconsideration and Allowance of the application as amended is respectfully requested.

DATED this 29th day of October, 2007

Very respectfully,

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